

ORDER

AREA/ROAD CLOSURE

WALLOWA-WHITMAN NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to 36 CFR, Sec. 261.50(a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the area, roads and trails described in this order within the Wallowa-Whitman National Forest, until further notice.

1. Going into or being upon an area. For the purpose of this order, this prohibition applies to persons going into or being upon the areas described in Appendix A and Appendix B of this order (36 CFR 261.52(e)).

2. Being on the road. For the purpose of this order, this prohibition applies to persons being on the National Forest System roads listed in Appendix B of this order (36 CFR 261.54(e)).

Pursuant to 36 CFR, Sec. 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

(1.) Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the prohibited act or omission.

(2.) Any Federal, State or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

These prohibitions are in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

Done at Baker City, Oregon, this ____6____ day of August , 2014.

/s/John Laurence

John Laurence
Forest Supervisor
Wallowa-Whitman National Forest

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both. (16 U.S.C. 551 and 18 U.S.C. 3559 and 3571)

APPENDIX A

From Freezeout Creek north to Imnaha, OR and from the Imnaha River east to the Hat Point Road (Forest Road # 4240).

APPENDIX B

Hat Point Road (Forest Road 4240) from junction of State Hwy Road 350 at Innaha, OR to Hat Point.

Any unmarked roads or trails in the vicinity.

Assessment of Need and Enforcement Plan

1. Background:

These restrictions have been deemed necessary because of the hazards associated with the 5 Mile Fire.

2. Intent of Subpart B Order:

These restrictions are intended to help ensure public and firefighter safety.

3. Enforcement Plan:

<u>Action</u>	<u>Responsible Official</u>	<u>Date</u>
Prepare proposed order	Appropriate Staff with LEI input	08/5/14
Review proposed order	Patrol Captain	08/5/14
Approve proposed order	Forest Supervisor	08/5/14
Post order in accordance with 36 CFR 261.51	District Staff Officer and Staff	
Prepare news release for local media describing the order and management objectives	PAO	08/5/14
Personnel assigned to the incident management team(s) assigned to the fire & local LEO will be primarily responsible for enforcement of this order. Officers & FPO's will exercise normal discretion in resolving violations. All enforcement actions involving warnings, citations and arrests will be conducted under protocols established by the Patrol Captain for the North Central Oregon zone.	Law Enforcement Personnel/Forest Protection Officers	Upon Approval

/s/ John Laurence

JOHN LAURENCE
Forest Supervisor

/s/ Robert Field

Robert Field
Patrol Captain

08/05/14

Date

